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O R 291525Z MAY 75
FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2762
INFO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM IMMEDIATE
AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA IMMEDIATE
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI
AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KINSHASA 4477

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: CASC (SMITH, HUNTER)
SUBJ: KIDNAPPED AMERICANS

REF: DAR ES SALAAM 1748 (NOTAL)

1. AMBASSADOR CARTER IN PARA 8 REFTEL STATES "I DON'T WANT TO LOSE THE TIME THAT WOULD HAVE TO ELAPSE IN ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN THE RELEAE OF A PRP DETAINEE". IT IS A GOOD POINT BUT MAY I SUGGEST THAT THERE IS MORE TO IT THAN JUST THAT AND AT LEAST URGE THAT HE AND USG ENCOURAGE DUTCH TO PURSUE THIS APPROACH. MY REASONS ARE ESSENTIALLY TWO-FOLD: FIRST, IT MIGHT WORK. SECOND, PUTTING PROPOSITION TO GOT WHICH WE AGREE BEARS MAJOR RESPONSIBILITY HELPS MAKE THAT POINT AND IF GOT SAYS NO, MIGHT MAKE IT EASIER FOR OUR OTHER IDEAS CONCERNING INTERMEDIARIES TO BE ACCEPTED.
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